

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF MAINE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	
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v.	)	Crim. No. <u>1:19-cr-00007-JAW</u>
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DOUGLAS GORDON.	)	
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**JOINT MOTION TO SET MOTIONS DEADLINE FOR TRIAL**

NOW COME the United States of America, by and through Halsey B. Frank, United States Attorney for the District of Maine, and James M. Moore, Assistant United States Attorney, as well as the Defendant, Douglas Gordon, by and through his attorney, Stephen C. Smith, Esq., and the parties hereby respectfully move for this Honorable Court to enter an order setting a deadline for the parties to file any motion to suppress or other pretrial motion. The parties make the following representations:

Rule 12(c) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure states the “court may, at the arraignment or as soon thereafter as practicable, set a deadline for the parties to make pretrial motions.” Fed. R. Crim. P. 12(c). The arraignment of the defendant on the superseding indictment was on April 29, 2019. The parties in this case have conferred and have agreed to a proposed deadline for the filing of any motion to suppress or other pretrial motion of July 29, 2019. The parties reserve their rights to file motions in limine or any other motions regarding the admissibility of evidence after the proposed motion deadline but sufficiently in advance of trial to permit a response and court consideration of any request to limit, prevent or permit the admission of certain evidence in the presence of the jury at the October 21, 2019 trial of the case.

**WHEREFORE**, for the reasons set forth above, the United States and the defendant respectfully request that the court enter an order pursuant to Rule 12(c) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure setting the deadline for the filing of any pretrial motions for July 29, 2019.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 2019.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on May 2, 2019, I filed the Joint Motion to Set Motions Deadline for Trial with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to the following:

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